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ATTENTION: BOX PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventor(s): **BYON et al.**

For: **LOW MOLECULAR WEIGHT POLYMANNURONATE**

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(X) This application is a continuation-in-part under 35 U.S.C. § 356 (c) claiming the benefit of the filing date of PCT Application No. PCT/KR01/00139 designating the United States, filed February 1, 2001 and published in English as WO 01/56404 A1 on August 9, 2001, which claims the benefit of the earlier filing dates of Korean Patent Application No. 2000/5294, filed February 3, 2000 and Korean Patent Application No. 2000/83853, filed December 28, 2000. The publication WO 01/56404 is incorporated herein by reference.

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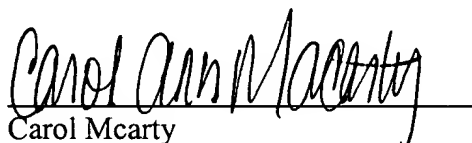
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